

Message Text

UNCLASSIFIED

PAGE 01 SOFIA 01306 302022Z

67

ACTION EUR-12

INFO OCT-01 ISO-00 EB-07 /020 W
----- 131030

R 261353Z JUN 75

FM AMEMBASSY SOFIA

TO USDA WASHDC

INFO SECSTATE WASHDC 9794

AMEMBASSY BONN

UNCLAS SOFIA 1306

E.O. 11652: NA

TAGS: EAGR, BU

SUBJECT: BULGARIAN MEAT INSPECTION PROGRAM: POSSIBLE U.S. VISIT

USDA FOR FAS/APHIS/STEINMETJK SECSTATE ALSO FOR EUR/EE;
BONN FOR AGATTACHE/FORIEST

REF: SOFIA 1305

1. DURING COURSE OF FINAL REVIEW OF INSPECTION VISIT TO LEVSKI MEAT PLANT, MEAT INSPECTOR FORIEST RAISED IDEA OF VISIT TO U.S. BY BULGARIAN MEAT OFFICIALS INCLUDING INSPECTORS TO REVIEW U.S. STANDARDS AS PRACTICED IN THE UNITED STATES. WHILE DECISION IS REQUIRED BY UPPER LEVEL GOB MINAG OFFICIALS, BULGARIANS SEEMED VERY RECEPTIVE TO IDEA TO SEE FIRST-HAND U.S. OPERATIONS.

2. EMBASSY WISHES TO KNOW IF USDA MAINTAINS FUNDS TO FINANCE SUCH VISITS BY BULGARIAN OFFICIALS. IF BULGARIANS DO DECIDE THEY WOULD LIKE REPRESENTATIVES TO VISIT U.S., QUESTIONS OF POSSIBLE FUNDING AND PROGRAMMING OF VISIT MAY ARISE.

BATJER

UNCLASSIFIED

NNN

Message Attributes

Automatic Decaptioning: X
Capture Date: 01 JAN 1994
Channel Indicators: n/a
Current Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Concepts: FOOD INSPECTION, MEATS, AGRICULTURAL ATTACHES, VISITS, PERSONNEL TRAVEL
Control Number: n/a
Copy: SINGLE
Draft Date: 26 JUN 1975
Decaption Date: 01 JAN 1960
Decaption Note:
Disposition Action: n/a
Disposition Approved on Date:
Disposition Authority: n/a
Disposition Case Number: n/a
Disposition Comment:
Disposition Date: 01 JAN 1960
Disposition Event:
Disposition History: n/a
Disposition Reason:
Disposition Remarks:
Document Number: 1975SOFIA01306
Document Source: CORE
Document Unique ID: 00
Drafter: n/a
Enclosure: n/a
Executive Order: N/A
Errors: N/A
Film Number: D750226-0777, D750222-1063
From: SOFIA
Handling Restrictions: n/a
Image Path:
ISecure: 1
Legacy Key: link1975/newtext/t19750613/aaaaaljf.tel
Line Count: 49
Locator: TEXT ON-LINE, ON MICROFILM
Office: ACTION EUR
Original Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Original Handling Restrictions: n/a
Original Previous Classification: n/a
Original Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Page Count: 1
Previous Channel Indicators: n/a
Previous Classification: n/a
Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Reference: 75 SOFIA 1305
Review Action: RELEASED, APPROVED
Review Authority: greeneet
Review Comment: n/a
Review Content Flags:
Review Date: 26 FEB 2003
Review Event:
Review Exemptions: n/a
Review History: RELEASED <26 FEB 2003 by PhilliR0>; APPROVED <12 MAR 2004 by greeneet>
Review Markings:

Margaret P. Grafeld
Declassified/Released
US Department of State
EO Systematic Review
06 JUL 2006

Review Media Identifier:
Review Referrals: n/a
Review Release Date: n/a
Review Release Event: n/a
Review Transfer Date:
Review Withdrawn Fields: n/a
Secure: OPEN
Status: NATIVE
Subject: BULGARIAN MEAT INSPECTION PROGRAM: POSSIBLE U.S. VISIT USDA FOR FAS/APHIS/STEINMETJK SECSTATE ALSO FOR EUR/EE;
TAGS: EAGR, BU, US
To: USDA EB AGR
Type: TE
Markings: Margaret P. Grafeld Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 06 JUL 2006